

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please add the following new paragraph before paragraph [0001]:

[0000.1] This application claims priority to PCT Application Serial Number PCT/EP04/003988 to Ludescher et al. filed on April 15, 2004, entitled PROCESSES FOR THE PREPARATIONS OF CEFEPi which further claims priority to (1) Austrian Patent Application Serial Number 584/2003 filed on April 16, 2003, (2) Austrian Patent Application Serial Number 585/2003 filed on April 16, 2003, and (3) Austrian Patent Application Serial Number 586/2003 filed on April 16, 2003, the contents of all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their respective entireties.